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Transmittal of Utility Patent Application
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a utility patent application by inventor: Dwight D. Weller, Todime Muralimohan Reddy and entitled:

METHOD FOR ANALYSIS OF OLIGONUCLEOTIDE ANALOGS

1. Enclosed are:

- This Transmittal letter.
- One stamped, self-addressed postcard for PTO date stamp.
- Certificate of Express Mail.
- One utility patent application containing text pages 1-23 and 12 Sheets of drawings.
- Declaration of inventorship (unsigned)
- Sequence listing printout, diskette, and matching declaration.

2. U.S. Priority

- This application claims priority to U.S. Provisional Patent Application Ser. No. 60/229,245 filed August 30, 2000, which is incorporated in its entirety herein by reference.
- A petition for extension of time has been filed in the parent to extend the pendency of the parent to * (copy enclosed).
- Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if required to establish copendency with the parent after all papers filed herewith have been considered.

3. Foreign Priority

- Priority of Application No. * filed in * on * is claimed under 35 USC §119.
- A certified copy of this priority document is enclosed.

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4. Fees

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

For:	(Col. 1) No. Filed	(Col. 2) No. Extra	Small Entity		Other Than a Small Entity	
			Rate	Fee	Rate	Fee
Basic Fee				\$355.00	or	\$710.00
Total Claims	27 - 20	7	7 x \$ 9 =	\$ 63.00	or	x \$ 18 =
Independent Claims	1 - 3	0	* x \$40 =	\$ 00.00	or	x \$ 80 =
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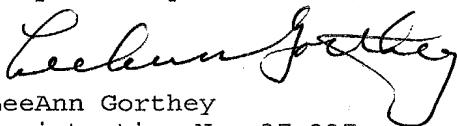
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR §1.27
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0665 for \$418.00 to cover the filing fee due.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR §1.16 and §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0665.

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